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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Takashi KURAFUJI

SERIAL NO: 10/685,579

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FOR: BANK CONTROL CIRCUIT, CACHE MEMORY DEVICE AND CACHE MEMORY DEVICE DESIGNING METHOD



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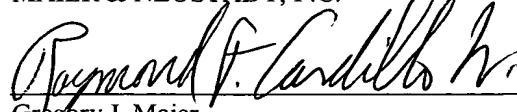
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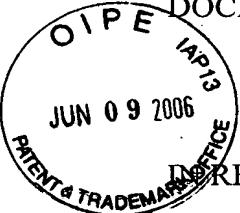
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In response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.